

EXECUTIVE JOURNAL.

FORTY-FIRST SESSION

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1818.

The three following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, for their concurrence, the following persons, who have been appointed during the late recess of the Senate:

Smith Thompson, of New York, to be Secretary of the Navy of the United States, vice Benjamin W. Crowninshield, resigned.

Tench Ringgold, of the District of Columbia, to be Marshal, in and for said District.

William G. Parish, of North Carolina, to be Collector of Direct Taxes and Internal Duties, for the 6th collection district in North Carolina, vice Andrew McEntire, deceased.

John McNeal, of Maryland, to be Collector of Direct Taxes and Internal Duties for the 9th collection district in Maryland, vice Aza Beall, resigned.

William Dickinson, of Maryland, to be an Appraiser of Goods, Wares, or Merchandise, for the port of Baltimore.

William Haslett, of Maryland, to be an Appraiser of Goods, Wares, or Merchandise, for the port of Baltimore.

Ichabod Prall, of New York, to be an Appraiser of Goods, Wares, or Merchandise, for the port of New York.

Abraham R. Lawrence, of New York, to be an Appraiser of Goods, Wares, or Merchandise, for the port of New York.

William Little, of Massachusetts, to be an Appraiser of Goods, Wares, or Merchandise, for the port of Boston.

Isaac Waters, of Massachusetts, to be an Appraiser of Goods, Wares, or Merchandise, for the port of Boston.

Samuel Ross, of Pennsylvania, to be an Appraiser of Goods, Wares, or Merchandise, for the port of Philadelphia.

Thomas Stewart, of Pennsylvania, to be an Appraiser of Goods, Wares, or Merchandise, for the port of Philadelphia.

David Erskine, of Stockholm, to be Consul of the United States for the port of Stockholm.

Daniel Lane, of Massachusetts, to be Collector for the district of Belfast, and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Belfast.

Charles S. Jones, of Virginia, to be Collector of Direct Taxes and Internal Duties, for the 23d collection district of Virginia, vice William Jones, deceased.

Edward Mortimer, of South Carolina, to be an Appraiser of Goods, Wares, or Merchandise, for the port of Charleston.

Andrew Smilie, of South Carolina, to be an Appraiser of Goods, Wares, or Merchandise, for the port of Charleston.

John B. Esseltyn, of New York, to be Collector and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Cape Vincent.

Charles Pinkney, of Maryland, to be Secretary of Legation of the United States of America, at the Court of His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of all the Russias.

Alexander H. Everett, of Massachusetts, to be Charge d'Affaires of the United States of America, at the Court of His Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

Charles Carroll, of New York, to be Register of the Land Office for the district of Howard county, in the Missouri Territory.

John O'Sullivan, of New York, to be Consul of the United States for the Island of Teneriffe.

David Parish, of Pennsylvania, to be Consul of the United States for the port of Antwerp.

Henry Hill, of New York, to be Consul of the United States for the port of Rio de Janeiro.

Alexander Netherclift, of Georgia, to be Collector and Inspector of the Revenue for the district of Hardwick.

Robert B. Cranston, of Rhode Island, to be Collector of Direct Taxes and Internal Duties, for the 1st collection district of Rhode Island, vice Christopher R. Perry, deceased.

James H. Blake, of the District of Columbia, to be Register of Wills in and for the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia, vice John Hewitt, deceased.

Henry Crabb, of Tennessee, to be Attorney of the United States in and for the district of West Tennessee, vice John E. Beck, deceased.

Ebenezer Dale, of Massachusetts, to be Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Gloucester.

John Sanders, of Massachusetts, to be Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Salem.

Alexander Bourne, of the State of Ohio, to be Receiver of Public Moneys for Lands of the United States at Chillicothe, in the State of Ohio.

Robert Swartwout, of New York, to be Navy Agent of the United States at New York, vice John Bullus, deceased.

Samuel Winston, of the State of Mississippi, to be Register of the Land Office of the United States, west of Pearl river, vice Nicholas Gray, resigned.

Francisco Xavier de Ealo, of Bilboa, to be Consul of the United States for the port of Bilboa, in the kingdom of Spain.

Christian Spangler, of Ohio, to be Collector of Direct Taxes and Internal Duties for the 5th collection district of Ohio, vice James Hampson, resigned.

Joseph G. Swift, of New York, to be Surveyor and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of New York, vice John Haff, removed.

William Woodbridge, of the Michigan Territory, to be Secretary in and for the said Territory, whose commission expires at the termination of the present session of the Senate.

Nathaniel Pope, of Illinois, to be Register of the Land Office of the United States at Edwardsville, in Illinois.

JAMES MONROE.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, the following persons, whose commissions are about expiring, for their concurrence in the re-appointment of them:

Richard S. Briscoe, whose commission as Justice of the Peace for the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia, will expire on the 30th of December next, to be Justice of the Peace of the same, for five years ensuing.

Andrew Moore, whose commission as Marshal of the district of Virginia will expire on the 14th of December next, to be Marshal of the same for four years ensuing.

Michael McClary, whose commission as Marshal of the district of New Hampshire will expire on the 16th of January next, to be Marshal of the same for four years ensuing.

David Robinson, whose commission as Marshal of the district of Vermont, will expire on the 7th of January next, to be Marshal of the same for four years ensuing.

John Childress, whose commission as Marshal of the district of West Tennessee will expire on the 9th of January next, to be Marshal of the same for four years ensuing.

Thomas G. Thornton, whose commission as Marshal of the district of Maine will expire on the 9th of January next, to be Marshal of the same for four years ensuing.

Michael Reynolds, whose commission as Marshal of the district of Louisiana will expire on the 17th of January next, to be Marshal of the same for four years ensuing.

John Smith, whose commission as Marshal of the district of Pennsylvania, will expire on the 25th of January next, to be Marshal of the same for four years ensuing.

Frederick Bates, whose commission as Secretary of the Missouri Territory, will expire on the 4th of February next, to be Secretary of the same for four years ensuing.

John B. C. Lucas, whose commission has expired, to be one of the Judges in and over the Missouri Territory.

JAMES MONROE.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Samuel W. Adams, Thomas B. Curtis, Nathaniel A. Prentiss, Charles C. Russell, and Nicholas Marchand, acting Lieutenants, to be Lieutenants in the Navy.

Benjamin T. Williams, of Massachusetts, Richard Stevens, of New York, Thomas W. Dawley, of Virginia, and David S. Edwards, of Connecticut, acting Surgeon's Mates, to be Surgeon's Mates in the Navy.

John Fitzhugh, Jun. of Maryland, and Mordecai Morgan, of Pennsylvania, to be Surgeon's Mates in the Navy.

James Brooks, of Virginia, Philander Chase, of Massachusetts, and James Everett, of Massachusetts, acting Chaplains, to be Chaplains in the Navy.

JAMES MONROE.

The messages were severally read.

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

Resolved, That the nominations of officers in the Navy be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs, with instructions to report a list of acting Lieutenants with the dates of their appointments, and the dates of their Midshipmen's warrants respectively.

Ordered, That the other two messages lie for consideration.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1818.

The three following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I lay before the Senate, for their advice and consent, the several treaties which have recently been made with the Chickasaws, the Quapaws, the Wyandot, Seneca, Delaware, Shawnese, Potawatamies, Ottawas, and Chippewas, the Peoria, Kaskaskias, Michigamia, Cahokia, and Tamarois, the Great and Little Osages, the Weas, Potawatamies, Delaware and Miami, the Wyandot, and the four Pawnees tribes of Indians.

By reference to the journal of the Commissioners, it appears, that George and Levi Colbert, have bargained and sold to the United States, the reservations made to them by the treaty of September, 1816, and that a deed of trust of the same has been made by them to James Jackson, of Nashville. I would therefore suggest, in case the Chickasaw treaty be approved by the Senate, the propriety of providing by law, for the payment of the sum stipulated to be given to them for their reservations.

JAMES MONROE.

November 30th, 1818.

To the Senate of the United States:

Commissions having been granted, during the recess of the Senate, to the persons whose names are stated in the list annexed to the enclosed letter from the Secretary of War, I now nominate them for the promotions and appointments respectively proposed.

JAMES MONROE.

November 30th, 1818.

WAR DEPARTMENT, 27th November, 1818.

SIR: I have the honor to lay before you a list of promotions and appointments made in the Army since the last session of the Senate.

I have the honor to be,

Sir, your obedient servant,

J. C. CALHOUN.

The PRESIDENT of the United States.

Promotions and Appointments in the Army of the United States.

Corps of Engineers.

Brevet 2d Lieut. Andrew Talcott, to be 2d Lieut., 14th August, 1818, vice Pooler, resigned.

Ordnance Department.

2d Lieut. Thomas T. Stephenson, to be 1st Lieut., 30th June, 1818, vice Hall, resigned.

2d Lieut. John Wilson, to be 1st Lieut., 1st Sept., 1818, vice Livingston, resigned.

2d Lieut. R. C. Pomeroy, to be 1st Lieut., 1st Sept., 1818, vice Anderson, dropped.

3d Lieut. W. E. Williams, to be 2d Lieut., 30th June, 1818, vice Stephenson, promoted.

3d Lieut. W. B. Davidson, to be 2d Lieut., 1st Sept., 1818, vice Wilson, promoted.

3d Lieut. Joshua Howard, to be 2d Lieut., 1st Sept., 1818, vice Pomeroy, promoted.

3d Lieut. Charles Ward, to be 2d Lieut., 1st Oct., 1818, vice De Hart, resigned.

Corps of Artillery.

1st Lieut. Abraham L. Sands, to be Captain, 17th Sept., 1818, vice Romaine, deceased.

Brevet Capt. Thos. J. Beall, 1st Lieut. to be Captain, 26th Sept., 1818, vice Bennet, deceased.

2d Lieut. Thomas J. Baird, to be 1st Lieut., 2d June, 1818, vice Boyd, resigned.

2d Lieut. Jabez Parkhurst, to be 1st Lieut., 1st July, 1818, vice Neville, resigned.

2d Lieut. Robert L. Armstrong, to be 1st Lieut., 2d July, 1818, vice Anthony, deceased.

2d Lieut. George W. Gardner, to be 1st Lieut., 31st August, 1818, vice Bosque, resigned.

2d Lieut. Bradley S. A. Lowe, to be 1st Lieut., 17th Sept., 1818, vice Sands, promoted.

2d Lieut. Patrick Galt, to be 1st Lieut., 26th Sept., 1818, vice Beall, promoted.

2d Lieut. Upton S. Frazer, to be 1st Lieut., 20th Oct., 1818, vice Prince, dismissed.

First Regiment of Infantry.

Brevet Capt. R. K. Call, 1st Lieut., to be Capt., 1st July, 1818, vice Sumpter, resigned.

2d Lieut. W. H. Ker, to be 1st Lieut., 31st March, 1818, Tarrant, resigned.

2d Lieut. Gaston Powell, to be 1st Lieut., 1st July, 1818, vice Call, promoted.

2d Lieut. George C. Spencer, to be 1st Lieut., 1st Oct., 1818, vice Collins, resigned.

Third Regiment of Infantry.

Brevet Lieut. Col. W. Lawrence, Major, 8th Infantry, to be Lieut. Col., 5th May, 1818, vice Jesup, Quartermaster General.

2d Lieut. James Dean, to be 1st Lieut., 31st Oct., 1818, vice Thomas, resigned.

Fourth Regiment of Infantry.

1st Lieut. Philip Wager, to be Captain, 8th May, 1818, vice Dinhins, promoted.

2d Lieut. Joseph P. Bunting, to be 1st Lieut., 24th Feb., 1818, vice McClaskey, dismissed.

2d Lieut. Wm. Camp, Jun., to be 1st Lieut., 24th Feb., 1818, vice Wells, dismissed.

2d Lieut. Wm. Lear, to be 1st Lieut., 24th Feb., 1818, vice Clark, dismissed.

2d Lieut. W. C. N. Armistead, to be 1st Lieut., 24th Feb., 1818, vice Taylor, dismissed.

2d Lieut. Quin B. Heronimus, to be 1st Lieut., 8th May, 1818, vice Wager, promoted.

Fifth Regiment of Infantry.

2d Lieut. Robert H. Hammond, to be 1st Lieut., 11th Nov., 1818, vice Holding, dismissed.

Sixth Regiment of Infantry.

1st Lieut. Wm. Haile, to be Captain, 14th May, 1818, vice McGlassin, dismissed.

2d Lieut. Samuel Keeler, Jun., to be 1st Lieut., 14th May, 1818, vice Haile, promoted.

2d Lieut. Hazen Bedel, to be 1st Lieut., 19th Oct., 1818, vice McChain, deceased.

Eighth Regiment of Infantry.

Brevet Major J. Dinkins, Captain 4th Infantry, to be Major, 8th May, 1818, vice Lawrence, promoted.

1st Lieut. Russel B. Hyde, to be Capt., 31st October, 1818, vice Arnold, resigned.

2d Lieut. Ethan A. Hitchcock, to be 1st Lieut., 31st Oct., 1818, vice Hyde, promoted.

Rifle Regiment.

Lieut. Col. T. Chambers, to be Colonel, 10th Nov., 1818, vice Smith, resigned.

Major Willoughby Morgan, to be Lieut. Col., 10th Nov., 1818, vice Chambers, promoted.

Brevet Major W. Bradford, Captain, to be Major, 10th Nov., 1818, vice Morgan, promoted.

1st Lieut. James McGunnege, to be Captain, 12th July, 1818, vice Bird-sall, deceased.

1st Lieut. Wm. Armstrong, to be Captain, 31st July, 1818, vice O'Fallon, resigned.

1st Lieut. Bennet Riley, to be Captain, 6th August, 1818, vice Ramsey, deceased.

1st Lieut. James S. Gray, to be Captain, 10th Nov., 1818, Bradford, promoted.

2d Lieut. John Clark, to be 1st Lieut., 12th July, 1818, vice McGunnege, promoted.

2d Lieut. Charles Pentland, to be 1st Lieut., 31st July, 1818, vice Armstrong, promoted.

2d Lieut. Francis Smith, to be 1st Lieut., 6th August, 1818, vice Riley, promoted.

2d Lieut. Thos. Kavenaugh, to be 1st Lieut. 10th Nov., 1818, vice Gray, promoted.

2d Lieut. Loring Palmer, to be 1st Lieut., 10th Nov., 1818, vice Shade, resigned.

Appointments.

Brevet Col. Thomas S. Jesup, Lieut., Col., 3d Infantry, to be Quartermaster General, 8th May, 1818.

Brevet Lieut Col. Roger Jones, Captain, Artillery, to be Adj. Gen., N. D. 10th August, 1818.

James M. Glassell, Captain, 4th Infantry, to be Ass. Adj. Gen. 22d May, 1818.

Hartman Bache, Cadet, to be Assist. Topo. Engineer, 24th July, 1818.

Thomas F. Hunt, 1st Lieut., Rifle, to be Assist. Dep. Q. Master General, 16th June, 1818.

Trueman Cross, 1st Lieut., 1st Infantry, to be Assist. Dep. Q. Master General, 16th June, 1818.

Thomas S. Rogers, 1st Lieut., 1st Infantry, to be Assist. Dep. Q. Master General, 16th June, 1818.

Hezekiah Johnston, late Capt., 1st Infantry, to be Assist. Dep. Q. Master General, 16th June, 1818.

James C. Pickett, late 2d Lieut. Artillery, to be Assist. Dep. Q. Master General, 16th June, 1818.

John Jones, Capt. 1st Infantry, to be Assist. Dep. Q. Master General, 26th August, 1818.

James Green, 2d Lieut. Artillery, to be Assist. Dep. Q. Master General, 11th September, 1818.

James McGunnegle, Capt. Rifle, to be Assist. Dep. Q. Master General, 25th September, 1818.

Stokley D. Hays, of Tenn., to be Judge Advocate, 10th Sept. 1818.

Squire Lea, late Surgeon 44th Infantry, Post Surgeon, 15th May, 1818.

Joseph Wallace, H. S. M., to be Post Surgeon, 18th April, 1818.

Josiah Everett, S. M. 2d Infantry, to be Post Surgeon, 10th Aug. 1818.

J. P. Russell, S. M. 5th Infantry, to be Post Surgeon, 10th Aug. 1818.

R. C. Walmsey, S. M. 7th Infantry, to be Post Surgeon, 10th Aug. 1818.

Richard Weightman, Dist. Col. to be Post Surgeon, 21st Aug. 1818.

Samuel C. Muir, H. S. M., to be Post Surgeon, 28th September, 1818.

Wm. Sterne, S. M., 6th Inf., to be Post Surgeon, 26th October, 1818.

Wm. H. Pierson, S. M., Rifle, to be Post Surgeon, 14th November, 1818.

Thomas Picton, N. J., to be Chaplain, and Prof. Ethics, 23d July, 1818.

Richard Delafield, Cadet, to be 2d Lt. Engineers, 24th July, 1818.

Benj. Vining, Cadet, to be 3d Lt. Ordnance, 24th July, 1818.

Harvey Brown, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Light Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

John C. Russell, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Light Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

Wm S. Newton, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Light Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

Christopher C. Hobart, Mass., to be 2d Lieut. Light Artillery, 8th Oct. 1818.

James H. Bradford, N. Y. to be 2d Lieut. Light Artillery, 28th Oct. 1818.

Clifton Wharton, Dis. Col. to be 2d Lieut. Light Artillery, 28th Oct. 1818.

John M. Washington, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 20th March, 1818.

John M. Hanson, late Lt. 8th Inf., to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 2d April, 1818.

Samuel Smith, Cadet, 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

Samuel Ringgold, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

Joseph Chambers, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

Samuel McKenzie, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

Giles Porter, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut. Corps of Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

George W. Corprew, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

John G. Jackson, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

Edward Harding, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

Joseph Dangerfield, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

Joseph Strong, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

George Webb, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 24th July, 1818.

George Leib, late Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 31st July, 1818.

Thomas S. Lloyd, Ten., to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Art'y, 31st Aug., 1818.

James Green, late Capt. Art'y., to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 11th Sept., 1818.

Wm. B. Adams, late Capt. 13th Inf., to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 31st Oct., 1818.

John P. Dieterich, late Lt. 23d Inf., to be 2d Lieut., Corps of Artillery, 31st October, 1818.

John Pratt, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., 1st Infantry, 24th July, 1818.

Charles Webb, Md., to be 2d Lieut., 1st Infantry, 17th Oct., 1818.

David S. Barnham, Mass., to be 2d Lieut., 1st Infantry, 17th Oct., 1818.

Samuel S. Isett, Md., to be 2d Lieut., 1st Infantry, 20th Oct. 1818.

Daniel Randall, late Dist. Paymaster, to be Paymaster, 1st Infantry, 21st July, 1818.

W. M. Rivers, S. C., to be S. Mate, 1st Infantry, 10th August, 1818.

C. A. Finley, Ohio, to be S. Mate, 1st Infantry, 10th August, 1818.

Lyman Foot, Ct., to be S. Mate, 2d Infantry, 10th August, 1818.

Richard Randall, Md., to be S. Mate, 2d Infantry, 10th August, 1818.

Horace Webster, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., 3d Infantry, 24th July, 1818.

Charles Harrison, N. Y., to be 2d Lieut., 3d Infantry, 26th October, 1818.

John Peacock, Pa., to be 2d Lieut., 3d Infantry.

Wm. S. Comstock, R. I., to be S. Mate, 3d Infantry, 21st April, 1818.

Edward Alexander, D. C., to be 2d Lieut., 4th Infantry, 22d May, 1818.

Thomas Johnston, Md., to be 2d Lieut., 4th Infantry, 16th June, 1818.

Leonard O. Brook, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., 4th Infantry, 24th July, 1818.

Thomas Williamson, Ala., to be 2d Lieut., 4th Inf'y, 24th March, 1818.

John Hull, Alabama, to be 2d Lieut., 4th Infantry, 24th March, 1818.

William H. Belton, Md., to be 2d Lieut. 4th Infantry, 9th Sept. 1818.

William Turner, Md., to be 2d Lieut., 4th Infantry, 17th Sept. 1818.

Joseph B. Shaw, Pa., to be 2d Lieut., 4th Infantry, 12th Nov. 1818.

Henry Giles, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., 5th Infantry, 24th July, 1818.

William G. Oliver, late Captain, 42d Infantry, to be 2d Lieut., 5th Infantry, 12th November, 1818.

Edward Purcell, H. S. M. to be Surgeon, 5th Infantry, 21st July, 1818.

Charles Mendenhall, Del., S. Mate, 5th Infantry, 10th August, 1818.

Charles Burbridge, late Lieut., 25th Infantry, 2d Lieut., 6th Infantry, 16th June, 1818.

Henry H. Loring, Cadet, to be 2d Lieut., 6th Infantry, 24th July, 1818.

William C. Givens, N. Y. to be 2d Lieut., 6th Infantry.

Henry Stevenson, Va., to be S. Mate, 6th Infantry, 13th Nov., 1818.

William D. Hopkins, Ga., to be 2d Lieut., 7th Infantry, 24th March, 1818.

Alexander M. Houston, Ten., to be 2d Lieut., 7th Infantry, 24th March, 1818.

Richard M. Coleman, Ky., to be S. Mate, 7th Infantry, 10th Aug. 1818.

Benjamin King, Md., to be S. Mate, 7th Infantry, 14th October, 1818.

John Philbrick, Vt., to be 2d Lieutenant, 8th Infantry, 21st April, 1818.

Titus T. Jameson, Va., to be 2d Lieutenant, 8th Infantry, 31st July, 1818.

John Kems, Md., to be 2d Lieutenant, 8th Infantry.

Henry Smith, Md., to be S. Mate, 8th Infantry, 10th August, 1818.

Thomas Mahon, late Lieut., 16th Infantry, to be 2d Lieut., Rifle, 22d July, 1818.

Ignatius P. McCandless, Va., to be 2d Lieut., Rifle, 31st July, 1811.

Samuel Shannon, Md., to be 2d Lieut., Rifle, 10th September, 1818.

Nathan L. Reeves, late Lieut., 19th Infantry, to be 2d Lieut., Rifle, 19th September, 1818.

John L. H. Lewis, Va., to be 2d Lieut., Rifle, 12th November, 1818.

Perry D. Melon, Ky., to be S. Mate, Rifle, 10th August, 1818.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George Boyd, of the District of Columbia, to be an Indian Agent at Michilimackinac, in the room of Jacob Tipton, who has declined the acceptance of said appointment.

JAMES MONROE.

November 30th, 1818.

The messages were severally read.

On motion by Mr. Lacock,

Ordered, That the message transmitting several Indian treaties, together with the said treaties, and the documents accompanying them, be printed for the use of the Senate, under an injunction of secrecy.

On motion by Mr. Williams, of Tennessee,

Ordered, That the message nominating to promotions and appointments in the Army, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

Ordered, That the message nominating George Boyd, lie for consideration.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of the 27th instant, nominating Smith Thompson, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of Smith Thompson, Tench Ringgold, William Dickinson, Ichabod Prall, Abraham R. Lawrence, William Little, Isaac Waters, Samuel Ross, Thomas Stewart, Daniel Lane, Edward Mortimer, Andrew Smilie, John B. Esseltyn, Charles Pinkney, Alexander H. Everett, John O'Sullivan, Henry Hill, James H. Blake, Henry Crabb, John Sanders, Alexander Bourne, Robert Swartwout, Joseph G. Swift, William Woodbridge, and Nathaniel Pope, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Williams, of Mississippi,

Ordered, That the nomination of Charles Carroll be referred to the Committee on Public Lands, to consider and report thereon.

On motion by Mr. Roberts,

Ordered, That the nominations of David Erskine, David Parish, and Francisco Xavier de Ealo, to be Consuls, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of the 27th instant, nominating Richard S. Briscoe, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of Richard S. Briscoe, Frederick Bates, and John B. C. Lucas, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Roberts,

Ordered, That the other nominations be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, to consider and report thereon.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1818.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Wolcott Chauncey, Licutenant, to be Master Commandant in the Navy, to take rank from the 5th of March, 1817, and his commission to be numbered *two* on the list of that date.

JAMES MONROE.

November 30th, 1818.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it lie for consideration.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of yesterday, nominating George Boyd to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the message of the 27th November, nominating Smith Thompson, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of William G. Parish and Christian Spangler, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the other nominations be postponed.

On motion by Mr. Williams, of Tennessee,

It was agreed to reconsider the vote of yesterday, for printing the documents which accompanied the Indian treaties; and

The question to print them was again put, and determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Williams, of Mississippi,

Ordered, That the treaties and documents be referred to the Committee on the Public Lands, to consider and report thereon.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1818.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of yesterday, nominating Wolcott Chauncey to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the message of the 27th November, nominating Smith Thompson, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of Alexander Netherclift and Ebenezer Dale, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the other nominations be postponed.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1818.

The Senate resumed the message of the 27th November, nominating Smith Thompson, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of William Maslett, and Robert B. Cranston, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

On motion,

Ordered, That the nomination of John McNeal be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Macon, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the nominations of David Erskine, David Parish, and Francisco Xavier de Ealo, as contained in the last mentioned message, made a report.

Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Mr. Morrow, from the Committee on the Public Lands, to whom was referred the nomination of Charles Carroll, as contained in said message, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Williams, of Tennessee, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the message of the 30th November, nominating to military *promotions and appointments*, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the promotions and appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively; except the following *appointments*, viz: Richard Delafield, Benjamin Vining, Harvey Brown, John C. Russell, William S. Newton, John M. Washington, Samuel Smith, Samuel Ringgold, Joseph Chambers, Samuel McKenzie, Giles Porter, George W. Corprew, John G. Jackson, Edward Harding, Joseph Dangerfield, Joseph Strong, George Webb, George Leib, John Pratt, Horace Webster, Leonard O. Brook, Henry Giles, and Henry H. Loring, which were,

On motion,

Postponed to Monday next.

Mr. Sanford, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the message of the 27th November, nominating to promotions in the Navy, reported; and

Ordered, That the consideration of the said nominations be postponed to Monday next.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1818.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I withdraw the nomination of Samuel Winston, as Register of the Land Office west of Pearl river; and nominate, for that appointment, Samuel L. Winston.

I nominate James Claypole, to be Collector for the port of Chester, in the State of Maryland, and Inspector of the Revenue for the same.

I also nominate James Hepburn, and Robert M. Welman, to be Appraisers of the port of New Orleans.

JAMES MONROE.

December 5th, 1818.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it lie for consideration.

Mr. Williams, of Tennessee, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the message of the 30th November, nominating to promotions and appointments in the Army, further reported on the Cadets nominated to appointments; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

The Senate resumed the nominations to promotions in the Navy, as contained in the message of the 27th November; and,

On motion by Mr. Daggett,

Ordered, That they be postponed until to-morrow.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1818.

Mr. Morrow, from the Committee on the Public Lands, to whom was referred the several Indian treaties transmitted on the 30th November, reported in part, the following treaties, without amendment, viz: with the Grand Pawnee, the Pitavirate Noisy Pawnee, the Pawnee Republic, the Pawnee Marhar, and the Peoria, Kaskaskia, Mitchigamia, Cahokia, and Tamarois tribes.

The Senate resumed the message of the 27th November, nominating Smith Thompson, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment of Charles S. Jones, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 7th instant, nominating Samuel L. Winston and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of Samuel L. Winston, James Hepburn, and Robert M. Welman, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the nomination of James Claypole be postponed.

The Senate proceeded to consider the message of the 27th November, nominating Samuel W. Adams, and others, to appointments in the Navy; and,

On motion,

Ordered, That it be postponed to Wednesday, the 23d instant.

Mr. Burrill, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the nominations of Marshals, contained in the message of the 27th November, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of Andrew Moore, Michael McClary, John Childress, and Thomas G. Thornton, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Resolved, That they do not advise and consent to the appointment of David Robinson.

On motion by Mr. Williams, of Tennessee,

Ordered, That the nominations of Michael Reynolds, and John Smith, be postponed to the 15th instant.

THURSDAY DECEMBER 10, 1818.

Mr. Sanford, from the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, to whom was referred the nomination of John McNeal, contained in the message of the 27th November, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the nomination of James Claypole, contained in the message of the 7th instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Morrow, from the Committee on the Public Lands, to whom was referred the several Indian treaties transmitted on the 30th November, reported in part the treaty with the Wyandot, and other tribes of Indians, within the State of Ohio, and the treaty supplemental thereto, without amendment.

The treaty with the Grand Pawnee tribe of Indians, was read the second time, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been made, it was reported to the Senate accordingly.

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The treaty with the Pitavirate Noisy Pawnee tribe of Indians, was read the second time, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been made, it was reported to the House accordingly.

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The treaty with the Pawnee Republic was read the second time, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been made, it was reported to the House accordingly.

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The treaty with the Pawnee Marhar tribe, was read the second time, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been made, it was reported to the House accordingly.

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

The treaty with the Peoria, and other tribes of the Illinois nation of Indians, was read the second time, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and,

On motion by Mr. King;

Ordered, That it be postponed to the 17th instant.

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the President of the United States be requested to communicate to the Senate, the instructions to the Commissioners who negotiated the Indian treaties now before the Senate.

Ordered, That the several treaties reported, be postponed to Thursday next.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1818.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the following persons to the offices respectively annexed to their names:

Heman Allen, of the State of Vermont, to be Marshal of the district of Vermont; Oliver Wayne Ogden, whose commission as Marshal of the dis-

district of New Jersey, has expired, to be Marshal of the same for four years; and Silas Marean, of Massachusetts, to be Consul of the United States for the Island of Martinique.

JAMES MONROE.

December 12th, 1818.

The message was read.

On motion by Mr. Tichenor,

It was considered by unanimous consent; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of Heman Allen, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the other nominations lie for consideration.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1818.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William B. Barney, of the State of Maryland, to be Naval Officer for the port of Baltimore, in the said State, in the room of Joshua Barney, deceased.

JAMES MONROE.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it lie for consideration.

The Senate resumed the nomination of Michael Reynolds, as contained in the message of the 27th November; and,

On motion by Mr. Fromentin,

Ordered, That it be postponed to Tuesday next.

The Senate took into consideration the nominations of Oliver Wayne Ogden and Silas Marean, as contained in the message of yesterday; and,

On motion by Mr. Lacock,

Ordered, That the nomination of Oliver Wayne Ogden be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Morrow, from the Committee on the Public Lands, to whom was referred the several Indian treaties transmitted on the 30th November, reported the treaty with the Miami tribe of Indians, the treaty with the Quapaw tribe, the treaty with the Wea tribe, the treaty with the Potawatamie tribe, the treaty with the Delaware tribe, the treaty with the Wyandot tribe, the treaty with the Chickasaw tribe, and the treaty with the Great and Little Osage tribes, without amendment.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1818.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I withdraw the nomination of John Smith, as Marshal for the district of Pennsylvania, and nominate him to be Marshal of the Eastern district of the said State, for four years after the 25th of January next.

JAMES MONROE.

December 16th, 1818.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it lie for consideration.

On motion by Mr. Fromentin,

It was agreed to reconsider the vote of yesterday, postponing the nomination of Michael Reynolds; and,

On motion by Mr. Roberts,

Ordered, That the said nomination be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate resumed the nomination of Silas Marean, contained in the message of the 14th instant; and,

On motion by Mr. Williams, of Mississippi,

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon.

The Senate proceeded to consider, as in Committee of the Whole, the treaty with the Chickasaw Indians; and,

On motion by Mr. Crittenden,

Ordered, That it be postponed to the first Monday in January next.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1818.

The Senate resumed the nomination of Michael Reynolds, contained in the message of the 27th November, nominating Richard S. Briscoe, and others, to offices; and,

On motion by Mr. Eppes,

Ordered, That it be postponed to Monday next.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of John Smith, contained in the message of yesterday; and,

On motion by Mr. Roberts,

Ordered, That it be postponed to Monday next.

The Senate proceeded to consider the nomination of William B. Barney, contained in the message of the 15th instant; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Burrill, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the nomination of Oliver Wayne Ogden, as contained in the message of the 14th instant, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Morrow submitted the following resolutions, which were read, considered, and agreed to:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of peace and friendship, made and concluded the 22d day of June, 1818, between the United States and the chiefs and warriors of the Pawnee Marhar tribe of Indians.

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of peace and friendship, made and concluded the 19th day of June, 1818, between the United States and the Pitavirate Noisy Pawnee tribe of Indians, by their chiefs and warriors.

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of peace and friendship, made and concluded on the 20th day of June, 1818, between the United States and the chiefs and warriors of the tribe of Indians called the Pawnee Republic.

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of peace and friendship, made and concluded the 18th day of June, 1818, between the United States and the Grand Pawnee tribe of Indians.

The treaty with the Pawnee Marhar tribe of Indians, was read the third time.

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 31.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Burrill, Crittenden, Daggett, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Eppes, Forsyth, Fromentin, Gaillard, Horsey, Hunter, Johnson, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Morrow, Noble, Otis, Palmer, Ruggles, Sanford, Smith, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Tichenor, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of peace and friendship, made and concluded the 22d day of June, 1818, between the United States and the chiefs and warriors of the Pawnee Marhar tribe of Indians.

The treaty with the Pitavirate Noisy Pawnee tribe of Indians, was read the third time.

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 29.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Burrill, Crittenden, Daggett, Dickerson, Eaton, Eppes, Forsyth, Fromentin, Gaillard, Horsey, Hunter, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Morrow, Noble, Otis, Palmer, Ruggles, Sanford, Smith, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Tichenor, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of peace and friendship, made and concluded the 19th of June, 1818, between the United States and the Pitavirate Noisy Pawnee tribe of Indians, by their chiefs and warriors.

The treaty with the tribe of Indians called the Pawnee Republic, was read the third time.

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 30.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Burrill, Crittenden, Daggett, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Eppes, Forsyth, Fromentin, Gaillard, Horsey, Hunter, Johnson, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Morrow, Noble, Palmer, Ruggles, Sanford, Smith, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Tichenor, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of peace and friendship, made and concluded on the 20th day of June, 1818, between the United States and the chiefs and warriors of the tribe of Indians, called the Pawnee Republic.

The treaty with the Grand Pawnee tribe of Indians, was read the third time.

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 29.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Burrill, Crittenden, Daggett, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Eppes, Forsyth, Fromentin, Gaillard, Horsey, Hunter, Johnson, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Morrow, Noble, Ruggles, Sanford, Smith, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Tichenor, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of peace and friendship, made and concluded the 18th day of June, 1818, between the United States and the chiefs and warriors of the Grand Pawnee tribe of Indians.

The treaty with the Wyandot tribe of Indians, was read the second time, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been proposed, the President reported it to the House; and

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

Mr. Morrow submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the 20th day of September, 1818, between the United States and the Wyandot tribe of Indians.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1818.

The treaty with the Wyandot tribe of Indians was read the third time, and the resolution yesterday submitted for its ratification having been agreed to;

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 30.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Burrill, Daggett, Eaton, Edwards, Eppes, Forsyth, Fromentin, Gaillard, Horsey, Johnson, King, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Morrill, Morrow, Noble, Otis, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Thomas, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the 20th day of September, 1818, between the United States and the chiefs and warriors of the Wyandot tribe of Indians.

The Senate resumed, as in Committee of the Whole, the treaty with the Peoria, and other tribes of the Illinois nation of Indians; and,

On motion by Mr. Forsyth,

To amend the fifth article thereof, by adding the following words:

"*Provided*, That the land ceded by this article shall not be sold but to the United States, by the said tribe of Indians."

It was determined in the negative: Yeas, 3; Nays, 29.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Forsyth, Macon, and Tait.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. Burrill, Daggett, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Eppes, Fromentin, Gaillard, Horsey, Hunter, Johnson, King, Lacock, Leake, Mellen, Morrill, Morrow, Noble, Otis, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Stokes, Storer, Talbot, Thomas, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

And no further amendment having been proposed, the President reported it to the House.

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

Mr. Morrow submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded the 25th day of September, in the year 1818, between the United States and the Peoria, Kaskaskia, Mitchigamia, Cahokia, and Tamarois tribes of Indians.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

In compliance with the resolution of the Senate, of the 10th instant, I transmit copies of the instructions to the Commissioners who negotiated the Indian treaties now before it.

JAMES MONROE.

December 18th, 1818.

The message was read.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1818.

The Senate resumed the nomination of Michael Reynolds, contained in the message of the 27th November; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the nomination of John Smith, contained in the message of the 16th instant; and,

On motion by Mr. Roberts,

Ordered, That it be postponed to the second Monday in January next.

Mr. Macon, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the nomination of Silas Marean, contained in the message of the 14th instant, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The treaty with the Peoria, Kaskaskia, Mitchigamia, Cahokia, and Tamarois tribes of Indians, was read the third time; and the resolution submitted on the 18th instant, having been agreed to,

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 28.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Burrill, Eaton, Edwards, Eppes, Forsyth, Gaillard, Goldsborough, Hunter, Johnson, King, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Morrow, Noble, Otis, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Stokes, Storer, Talbot, Taylor, Thomas, Tichenor, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded the 25th day of September, in the year 1818, between the United States and the Peoria, Kaskaskia, Mitchigamia, Cahokia, and Tamarois tribes of Indians.

The Senate resumed, as in Committee of the Whole, the treaty with the Wyandot, Seneca, Delaware, Shawnese, Potawatamie, Ottawas, and Chippeway tribes of Indians, and the treaty supplementary thereto; and no amendment having been proposed, the President reported them to the House; and

Ordered, That they pass to a third reading.

Mr. Morrow submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the 29th of September, 1817, between the United States, and the sachems, chiefs, and warriors of the Wyandot, Seneca, Delaware, Shawnese, Potawatamie, Ottawas, and Chippeway tribes of Indians, with the exception of the two additional articles thereto, and as the same is altered by the supplementary treaty, made and concluded on the 17th day of September, 1818, between the said States and the sachems, chiefs and warriors of the said Wyandot, Seneca, Shawnese, and Ottawas tribes of Indians; the said two treaties being considered and ratified as one entire treaty only.

The Senate resumed, as in Committee of the Whole, the treaty with the Quapaw tribe of Indians; and no amendment having been proposed, the President reported it to the House; and

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

Mr. Morrow submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of friendship, cession, and limits, made and concluded on the 24th day of August, 1818, between the United States and the chiefs and warriors of the Quapaw tribe of Indians.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1818.

The treaty with the Quapaw tribe of Indians was read the third time, and the resolution submitted the 21st instant, having been agreed to;

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 28.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Daggett, Dickerson, Eaton, Forsyth, Gaillard, Goldsborough, Hunter, Johnson, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Morrill, Morrow, Noble, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Thomas, Tichenor, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of friendship, cession, and limits, made and concluded on the 24th day of August, 1818, between the United States and the chiefs and warriors of the Quapaw tribe of Indians.

The treaty with the Wyandot, Seneca, Delaware, Shawnese, Potawatamie, Ottawas, and Chippeway tribes of Indians, and the treaties supplement-

tary thereto, were read the third time; and the resolution submitted the 21st instant, having been agreed to,

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of these treaties?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 28.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Daggett, Dickerson, Eaton, Forsyth, Gaillard, Goldsborough, Hunter, Johnson, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Morrill, Morrow, Noble, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Thomas, Tichenor, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the 29th of September, 1817, between the United States and the sachems, chiefs, and warriors of the Wyandot, Seneca, Delaware, Shawnese, Potawatamie, Ottawas, and Chippeway tribes of Indians; with the exception of the two additional articles thereto, and as the same is altered by the supplementary treaty, made and concluded on the 17th day of September, 1818, between the said States and the sachems, chiefs, and warriors of the said Wyandot, Seneca, Shawnese, and Ottawas tribes of Indians; the said two treaties being considered and ratified as one entire treaty only.

The Senate resumed, as in Committee of the Whole, the treaty with the Great and Little Osage tribes of Indians; and no amendment having been proposed, the President reported it to the House; and

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

Mr. Morrow submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the 25th day of September, 1818, between the United States and the deputation of considerate men, chiefs, and warriors of the Great and Little Osage tribes of Indians.

The Senate resumed the nominations to appointments in the Navy, contained in the message of the 27th November; and,

On motion by Mr. Daggett,

Ordered, That they be postponed to Monday next.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1818.

The treaty with the Great and Little Osage tribes of Indians was read the third time; and the resolution, yesterday submitted, having been agreed to;

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 28.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Burrill, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Forsyth, Gaillard, Horsey, Hunter, King, Lacock, Leake, Mellen, Morrill, Morrow, Noble, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Thomas, Van Dyke, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the 25th day of September, 1818, between the United States and the deputation of considerate men, chiefs, and warriors of the Great and Little Osage tribes of Indians.

The treaties with the Wea, the Potawatamie, and the Delaware tribes of Indians were severally considered, as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been proposed, the President reported them to the House.

Ordered, That they severally pass to a third reading.

Mr. Morrow submitted the following motions for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the 2d day of October, 1818, between the United States and the Wea tribe of Indians.

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the 2d day of October, 1818, between the United States and the Potawatamie nation of Indians.

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded the 3d day of October, 1818, between the United States and the Delaware nation of Indians, by their chiefs and warriors.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1818.

The three following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John Graham, one of the late Commissioners of the United States at Buenos Ayres, to be Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States at Rio de Janeiro, in the room of Thomas Sumter, Jun., who has asked permission to resign.

I also nominate Alexander A. Meck, of the Territory of Indiana, to be Attorney of the United States for the district of Indiana, in the room of Thomas H. Blake, resigned.

JAMES MONROE.

December 24th, 1818.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate George Washington Banks, of Virginia, to be Collector of the district of Tappahannock, in the State of Virginia, and Inspector of the Revenue for the port of Tappahannock, in the room of John Haile, deceased.

JAMES MONROE.

December 24th, 1818.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William Jones, Walter Bowne, George Williams, John Connelly, and John Steele, to be Directors of the Bank of the United States, for the year 1819.

JAMES MONROE.

December 28th, 1818.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That they lie for consideration.

The Senate resumed the nominations of Samuel W. Adams, and others, contained in the message of the 27th November; and

Resolved, That that they do advise and consent to the appointments of Benjamin T. Williams, Richard Stevens, Thomas W. Dawley, David S. Edwards, John Fitzhugh, Jun., and Mordecai Morgan, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the other nominations be postponed:

The treaty with the Wea tribe of Indians was read the third time; and the resolution to ratify the same having been agreed to;

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 31.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Burrill, Daggett, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Forsyth, Gaillard, Goldsborough, Horsey, Hunter, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Morrill, Morrow, Noble, Otis, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Thomas, Tichenor, Van Dyke, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the 2d day of October, 1818, between the United States and the Wea tribe of Indians.

The treaty with the Potawatamie tribe of Indians was read the third time; and the resolution to ratify the same having been agreed to;

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 30.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Burrill, Daggett, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Forsyth, Gaillard, Goldsborough, Horsey, Hunter, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Morrow, Otis, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Thomas, Tichenor, Van Dyke, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the 2d day of October, 1818, between the United States and the Potawatamie nation of Indians.

The treaty with the Delaware nation of Indians was read the third time; and the resolution to ratify the same having been agreed to;

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 30.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Burrill, Daggett, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Forsyth, Gaillard, Goldsborough, Horsey, Hunter, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Morrill, Morrow, Otis, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Thomas, Tichenor, Van Dyke, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded the 3d day of October, 1818, between the United States and the Delaware nation of Indians, by their chiefs and warriors.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1818.

The Senate took into consideration the message of yesterday, nominating John Graham, and Alexander A. Meek, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment of Alexander A. Meek, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Macon,

Ordered, That the nomination of John Graham be postponed to Monday next.

The Senate took into consideration the message of yesterday, nominating George W. Banks to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination,

The Senate took into consideration the message of yesterday, nominating William Jones, and others, Directors of the Bank of the United States; and,

On motion by Mr. King,

Ordered, That it be postponed to Thursday next.

The Senate resumed the message of the 27th November, nominating Samuel W. Adams, and others, to appointments, in the Navy; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments of James Brooks, Philander Chase, and James Everett, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Mr. Tait submitted the following motion for consideration, which was considered and agreed to:

“The Senate having considered the nominations of Samuel W. Adams, Thomas B. Curtis, Nathaniel A. Prentiss, Charles C. Russell, and Nicholas Marchand, to be Lieutenants in the Navy: thereupon,

Resolved, That in the opinion of the Senate, it is not expedient to make any further appointments of Lieutenants in the Navy, until the Midshipmen proposed to be promoted, shall have been first examined, in pursuance of the rules and regulations for the Naval service of the United States, communicated to Congress, on the 20th day of April last.”

The two following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, for their concurrence, James Titus, Henry Chambers, Lemuel Mead, George Phillips, John Gayle, Jun., and Matthew D. Wilson, all of the Alabama Territory, to be members of the Legislative Council for the said Territory.

JAMES MONROE.

December 28th, 1818.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, for their concurrence, Henry Preble, of Massachusetts, to be Consul of the United States at Palermo, vice William Porter, deceased.

JAMES MONROE.

December 28th, 1818.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That they lie for consideration.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1818.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I lay before the Senate, for their consideration, a convention, signed at London, on the 20th of October last, between the United States and Great Britain, together with the documents showing the course and progress of the negotiation. I have to request that these documents, which are original, may be returned, when the Senate shall have acted on the convention.

JAMES MONROE.

December 29th, 1818.

The message, convention, and accompanying documents, were read.

On motion by Mr. Tait,

Ordered, That the message, convention, and documents, except the "memorandum proposed by the British Plenipotentiaries, to be annexed to the protocol of the 7th conference;" and also, the instructions to the American Plenipotentiaries, be printed for the use of the Senate, under an injunction of secrecy.

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the President of the United States be requested to lay before the Senate, the instructions, including that of the 28th of July last, to the Plenipotentiaries of the United States, who negotiated the convention with his Britannic Majesty, signed on the 20th day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

The Senate took into consideration the message of yesterday, nominating Henry Preble to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

On motion by Mr. Roberts,

It was agreed to reconsider the vote of yesterday, postponing the nominations of Bank Directors to Thursday; and,

On motion by Mr. Mellen,

To postpone the further consideration of the said nominations to Thursday, the 7th day of January next;

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 20; Nays, 14.

On motion by Mr. Lacock,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Burrill, Daggett, Eaton, Edwards, Gaillard, Goldsborough, Hanson, Horsey, Hunter, Johnson, King, Mellen, Noble, Otis, Palmer, Sanford, Talbot, Thomas, Van Dyke, and Williams, of Mississippi.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. Barbour, Dickerson, Forsyth, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Morrill, Morrow, Roberts, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Taylor, and Wilson.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1819.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nomination of John Graham, as contained in the message of the 28th of December last; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 29th of December last, nominating James Titus, and others, to offices; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

The following written message, yesterday received from the President of the United States, was read:

✓ *To the Senate of the United States:*

I transmit to the Senate, in pursuance of their resolution of the 30th of last month, requesting to be furnished with the instructions, including that of the 28th of July, 1818, to the Plenipotentiaries of the United States who negotiated the convention with His Britannic Majesty, signed on the 20th day of October, in the same year, copies of all these instructions, including that particularly referred to.

JAMES MONROE.

January 4th, 1819.

The Senate resumed, as in Committee of the Whole, the treaty with the Chickasaw tribe of Indians; and no amendment having been proposed, the President reported it to the House; and

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

On motion,

The said treaty was read the third time, by unanimous consent. Whereupon,

Mr. Morrow submitted the following motion, which was considered and agreed to:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of peace and friendship, made and concluded on the 19th day of October, 1818, between the United States and the chiefs, headmen, and warriors, of the Chickasaw nation of Indians.

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 34.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Crittenden, Daggett, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Fromentin, Gaillard, Goldsborough, Hunter, Johnson, King, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Morrill, Morrow, Noble, Otis, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Thomas, Tichenor, Van Dyke, Williams, of Mississippi, and Williams, of Tennessee.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of peace and friendship, made and concluded on the 19th day of October, 1818, between the United States, and the chiefs, headmen, and warriors, of the Chickasaw nation of Indians.

The treaty with the Miami nation of Indians was resumed, and considered as in Committee of the Whole; and no amendment having been proposed, the President reported it to the House; and

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

On motion,

The said treaty was read the third time, by unanimous consent. Whereupon,

Mr. Morrow submitted the following motion, which was considered and agreed to:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the 6th day of October, 1818, between the United States and the chiefs and warriors of the Miami nation of Indians.

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 30.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Crittenden, Daggett, Edwards, Fromentin, Gaillard, Hunter, Johnson, King, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mel-
len, Morrow, Noble, Otis, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Smith, Stokes,
Storer, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Thomas, Van Dyke, Williams, of Mississippi,
and Williams, of Tennessee.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty, made and concluded on the 6th day of October, 1818, between the United States and the chiefs and warriors of the Miami nation of Indians.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1819.

Mr. Williams, of Tennessee, submitted the following motion, which was read and considered:

Resolved, That the President of the United States be requested to institute a negotiation with the Chickasaw tribe of Indians, for the cession of a tract of land four miles square, including a salt spring reserved to said tribe, by the 4th section of a treaty, concluded with said nation, on the 19th day of October, 1818. Said cession, when made, shall be for the benefit of the State of Tennessee, said State paying the expense of holding said treaty.

On motion by Mr. Eaton,

To amend the resolution by striking out from "1818," the residue thereof, and to insert, "whenever he shall be notified by the Governor of Tennessee that the Legislature of said State desire it to be done."

After debate the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1819.

The convention with His Britannic Majesty was read the second time; ✓
and,

On motion by Mr. Macon,

Ordered, That it be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to ✓
consider and report thereon.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 1819.

Mr. Macon, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was re-
ferred the convention with his Britannic Majesty, reported the same with-
out amendment.

On motion,

Ordered, That it be made the order of the day for Monday next. ✓

The three following written messages were yesterday received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William Davis, Attorney of the United States for the district of Georgia, to be a Judge of the United States for the said district.

JAMES MONROE.

January 11th, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, for their concurrence, James H. Peck, of Missouri Territory, to be Attorney of the United States for said Territory, vice Robert Wash, resigned.

JAMES MONROE.

January 5th, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate, for their concurrence, Christopher Hughes, Jun. of Maryland, to be Chargé d'Affaires of the United States of America at Stockholm.

JAMES MONROE.

January 11th, 1819.

The messages were severally read.

Ordered, That they lie for consideration.

On motion by Mr. Forsyth,

The message nominating William Davis to office, was considered by unanimous consent; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate resumed the motion, submitted the 8th instant, by Mr. Williams, of Tennessee, together with the amendment proposed thereto by Mr. Eaton; the amendment was disagreed to, and the motion was amended and agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That the President of the United States be requested to institute a negotiation with the Chickasaw tribe of Indians, for the cession of a tract of land four miles square, including a salt spring reserved to said tribe, by the 4th *article* of a treaty concluded with said nation, on the 19th day of October, 1818. Said cession, when made, shall be for the benefit of the State of Tennessee, on said State paying the expense of holding said treaty.

On motion by Mr. Morrow,

Ordered, That so much of the message of the President of the United States, of the 30th of November last, as recommends the providing, by law, for the payment of the claim of George and Levi Colbert, under the treaty with the Chickasaw Indians, together with the journal of the Commissioners who negotiated said treaty, be referred to the Committee on Finance, to consider and report thereon.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 1819.

The following written message, which was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary, on the 19th instant, was read:

To the Senate:

I nominate Samuel D. Ingham, of Pennsylvania, to be Marshal of the Eastern District of that State.

JAMES MONROE.

January 19th, 1819.

On motion,

The message was considered by unanimous consent; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 14th January, nominating Christopher Hughes, Jun., to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 14th instant, nominating James H. Peck to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

MONDAY, JANUARY 25, 1819.

The Senate proceeded to consider, as in Committee of the Whole, the convention with Great Britain; and Mr. Gaillard was requested to take the chair; and no amendment having been proposed, the convention was reported to the House, and the President resumed the chair.

Ordered, That it pass to a third reading.

Mr. Macon submitted the following motion for consideration:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the convention, made and concluded at London, on the 20th day of October, 1818, between the United States of America and his Majesty the king of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

On motion by Mr. Macon,

The convention was read the third time, by unanimous consent; and the motion to ratify the same having been concurred in,

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this convention?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 38.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Burrill, Crittenden, Daggett, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Eppes, Forsyth, Fromentin, Gaillard, Goldsborough, Hanson, Hunter, Johnson, King, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Morrow, Noble, Otis, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Smith, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Talbot, Thomas, Tichenor, Van Dyke, Williams, of Mississippi, Williams, of Tennessee, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the convention, made and concluded at London, on the 20th day of October, 1818, between the United States of America and his Majesty the king of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1819.

The six following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Gouverneur, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John Nicholson, to be Marshal of the State of Louisiana, in the room of Michael Reynolds, removed.

JAMES MONROE.

January 26th, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Robert Were Fox, as Consul at Falmouth, in England, in the place of Robert W. Fox, his father, deceased.

JAMES MONROE.

January 20th, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I withdraw the nomination of John Smith, as Marshal of the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

JAMES MONROE.

January 26th, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William Johnson, of South Carolina, at present a Judge of the Supreme Court of the United States, to be Collector of the port of Charleston, in the room of Simeon Theus, resigned.

JAMES MONROE.

January 23d, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I withdraw from the nomination of Bank Directors, William Jones and George Williams; and nominate in their stead, Nicholas Biddle, of Philadelphia, and John McKim, Jun., of Baltimore.

JAMES MONROE.

January 26th, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons whose names are stated in the enclosed list, signed by the Secretary at War, for the promotions and appointments therein respectively proposed for them.

JAMES MONROE.

January 26th, 1819.

WAR DEPARTMENT, 23d January, 1819.

SIR: I have the honor to lay before you the annexed list of promotions and appointments for the Army of the United States.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. C. CALHOUN.

The PRESIDENT of the United States.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES.

Corps of Artillery.

Brevet Captain Richard A. Zantzinger, 1st Lieutenant, to be Captain, 12th December, 1818, vice Yeaton, dismissed.

First Lieutenant Wm. R. Duncan, to be Captain, 31st December, 1818, vice Ruffin, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Henry W. Griswold, to be 1st Lieutenant, 12th December, 1818, vice Zantzinger, promoted.

Second Lieutenant James Monroe, to be 1st Lieutenant, 31st December, 1818, vice Duncan, promoted.

Third Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant Charles L. Cass, to be Captain, 31st December, 1818, vice Hachley, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Hillary Brunot, to be 1st Lieutenant, 31st December, 1818, vice Cass, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Edmund Hopkins, to be 1st Lieutenant, 31st December, 1818, vice McLeod, resigned.

Fourth Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Thomas Williamson, to be 1st Lieutenant, 8th January, 1819, vice Bunting, dismissed.

Seventh Regiment of Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Henry Berryman, to be 1st Lieutenant, 31st December, 1818, vice Betts, resigned.

Eighth Regiment of Infantry.

First Lieutenant R. Humphreys, to be Captain, 24th December, 1818, vice Houston, deceased.

Second Lieutenant Jeremiah Yancey, to be 1st Lieutenant, 1st December, 1818, vice Hand, deceased.

Second Lieutenant Wilson Whatley, to be 1st Lieutenant, 24th December, 1818, vice Humphreys, promoted.

Rifle Regiment.

Second Lieutenant Thomas Martin, to be 1st Lieutenant, 15th December, 1818, vice Smith, resigned.

APPOINTMENTS.

W. H. Livingston, Surgeon's Mate Light Artillery, to be Post Surgeon.

Charles M'Crudy, Vermont, to be Surgeon's Mate, Light Artillery.

Thomas Barker, late Captain 42d Inf., to be 2d Lieutenant, 1st Infantry.

Elijah Davis, Pennsylvania, to be 2d Lieutenant, 1st Infantry.

Samuel W. Hunt, Cadet, to be 2d Lieutenant, 3d Infantry.

William P. Smith, Pennsylvania, to be 2d Lieutenant, 3d Infantry.

William H. Mann, Georgia, to be 2d Lieutenant, 4th Infantry.

R. H. Branch, Virginia, to be 2d Lieutenant, 7th Infantry.

Frederick Lazarus, late Lieut. 42d Inf. to be 2d Lieutenant, 8th Infantry.

Edward Webb, New York, to be 2d Lieutenant, 8th Infantry.

Gideon Lowe, late 1st Lieut. 22d Inf. to be 2d Lieutenant, Rifle.

Daniel Keith, late Lieutenant 35th Infantry, to be 2d Lieutenant, Rifle.

Philip Fisher, late Lieutenant 36th Infantry, to be 2d Lieutenant, Rifle.

W. D. M'Cray, Ohio, to be 2d Lieutenant, Rifle.

James Paxton, South Carolina, to be Surgeon's Mate, 8th Infantry.

The messages were severally read.

On motion by Mr. Williams, of Tennessee,

Ordered, That the message nominating persons to promotions and appointments in the Army, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

Ordered, That the other messages lie for consideration.

On motion by Mr. King,

Resolved, That the message of the President of the United States, accompanying the commercial convention with England, be referred to the Committee of Foreign Relations, with instructions to select and report to the Senate, such parts of the said message as may be excepted from the injunction of secrecy, and published.

On motion by Mr. Eppes,

Resolved, That the Chairman of the Committee on Finance be authorized to communicate, confidentially, to the Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means of the House of Representatives, so much of the message of the President of the United States, of the 30th of November last, as relates to the appropriation of \$20,000 for the purchase of the reservation in the Chickasaw treaty.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1819.

The Senate proceeded to consider the messages of the 28th of December, and 26th instant, nominating Bank Directors; and,

On motion by Mr. Daggett,

Ordered, That the nominations be postponed to Monday next.

The Senate took into consideration the message of yesterday, nominating Robert Were Fox to be Consul; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The Senate took into consideration the message of yesterday, nominating John Nicholson to be Marshal; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1819.

The Senate resumed the messages of the 28th of December and 26th of January, nominating Directors to the Bank of the United States; and,

On motion by Mr. Talbot,

Ordered, That the said messages be postponed to Monday next.

The Senate resumed the nomination of William Johnson, contained in the message of the 26th January; and,

On motion by Mr. Fromentin,

Ordered, That it be postponed to Monday next.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1819.

The two following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John Overton, Newton Cannon, and Robert Weakly, of Tennessee, as Commissioners to negotiate with the Chickasaw tribe of Indians, for the cession of a tract of land, four miles square, including a salt spring, reserved to the said tribe, by the fourth article of a treaty concluded with the said Indians on the 19th day of October, 1818.

JAMES MONROE.

February 2d 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons in the annexed list, for the promotions in the Army of the United States respectively affixed to their names, as proposed by the Secretary of War.

JAMES MONROE.

February 2d, 1819.

WAR DEPARTMENT, January 29th, 1819.

SIR: I have the honor to lay before you a list of promotions for the Engineer Corps.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. C. CALHOUN.

The PRESIDENT of the United States.

PROMOTIONS IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES.

Corps of Engineers.

Lieut. Col. Walker K. Armistead, to be Colonel, 12th Nov. 1818, vice Swift, resigned.

Brevet Col. Wm. McRee, Major, to be Lieut. Col. 12th Nov. 1818, vice Armistead, promoted.

Brevet Lieut. Col. Joseph G. Totten, Captain, to be Major 12th Nov. 1818, vice McRee, promoted.

First Lieut. T. W. Maurice, to be Captain, 12th Nov. 1818, vice Totten, promoted.

Second Lieut. George Blaney, to be 1st Lieut. 12th Nov. 1818, vice Maurice promoted.

The messages were severally read.

On motion by Mr. Williams, of Tennessee,

The messages were considered by unanimous consent; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of John Overton, Newton Cannon, and Robert Weakly, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

On motion by Mr. Williams, of Tennessee,

Ordered, That the message nominating persons to promotions in the Army, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Williams, of Tennessee, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the message of the 26th of January, nominating persons to promotions and appointments in the Army, reported; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the promotions and appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1819.

Mr. Williams, of Tennessee, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the message of the 3d instant, nominating to promotions in the Army, reported; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the promotions, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

The Senate resumed the nomination of William Johnson to be Collector; and,

On motion by Mr. Forsyth,

Ordered, That the further consideration thereof be postponed to Monday next.

The Senate resumed the messages of the 28th December and 26th January, nominating Bank Directors; and,

On motion by Mr. Barbour,

Ordered, That the consideration thereof be further postponed until to-morrow.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1819.

The two following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John Forsyth, of Georgia, to be Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States, in Spain, in the room of George W. Irving, who has asked permission to resign.

JAMES MONROE.

February 11th, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John Conard, of Pennsylvania, to be Marshal of the Eastern District of that State.

JAMES MONROE.

February 11th, 1819.

The messages were severally read.

On motion,

The message nominating John Conard to office was considered by unanimous consent; and

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Ordered, That the other message lie for consideration.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1819.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the nominations of Walter Bowne, and others, to be Directors of the Bank of the United States; and,

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment of Walter Bowne?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 28; Nays, 9.

On motion by Mr. Roberts,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Those who voted in the affirmative, are—Messrs. Barbour, Dickerson, Eaton, Forsyth, Gaillard, Goldsborough, Horsey, Hunter, Johnson, King, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Morrill, Morrow, Otis, Palmer, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Thomas, Tichenor, Williams, of Mississippi, and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative, are—Messrs. Burrill, Crittenden, Daggett, Edwards, Noble, Talbot, Taylor, Vandyke, and Williams, of Tennessee.

So it was

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of John Connelly, John Steele, Nicholas Biddle, and John McKim, Jun. agreeably to the nominations respectively.

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 11th instant, nominating John Forsyth to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

The message nominating William Johnson to office, was,

On motion by Mr. Burrill, postponed to Monday next.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1819.

Mr. Eaton gave notice that he should, to-morrow, ask leave to introduce a resolution to authorize the President of the United States to take possession of the Floridas.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1819.

Mr. Macon, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred so much of the documents accompanying the Commercial Convention with Great Britain, as relates to the colonial trade, made the following report, which was read:

That the object of the negotiation with Great Britain, respecting the colonial trade, is the establishment of a regulation whereby a trade in articles of the produce and manufacture of the United States, and of the British colonies, may be carried on between them; and secondly, a regulation whereby the shipping of the two countries may be placed on an equal footing in the carrying on of this trade.

In respect to the articles of the trade, the United States would agree that all articles of the produce and manufacture of the United States, and of the respective colonies, should be included, and all other articles excluded. But as Great Britain probably would not consent to this arrangement, the United States would not object to the catalogue of articles of the produce and manufacture of the United States, and of the said colonies, enumerated in the British acts of Parliament, and according to which the trade has heretofore been carried on in British bottoms.

As respects duties and charges, they should be placed on a footing of reciprocal equality: if Great Britain would consent to impose no higher or other duties on articles of the produce and manufacture of the United States imported into the colonies, than upon the like articles imported from her continental colonies, (whence only they can be obtained,) the United States might agree to impose no greater or other duties and charges on articles the produce and manufacture of her colonies, than on the like articles from other countries. To this adjustment Great Britain will probably disagree: in lieu thereof, and as a compensation for the stipulation not to impose greater or other duties on the colonial articles of Great Britain, than on the like articles of other countries, it might be stipulated, on the part of Great Britain, that the duties and charges on articles of the produce and manufacture of the United States, should not exceed by more than ——— per cent. those which should be imposed on the like articles imported from the British continental colonies.

In no event should articles of the produce and manufacture of the United States pay higher duties and charges in the direct voyage from the United States, than in the indirect or circuitous voyage through New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Bermudas, or other intermediate ports: and as the direct trade should not be more restrained in respect to the articles thereof, than the indirect or circuitous trade, no article should be allowed to go or come indirectly or circuitously, which might not go or come directly.

There is nothing in principle or policy, that forbids the confining of this trade to articles of the produce or manufacture of the respective countries: that is, of the United States and of the British colonies: articles of the produce and manufacture of other portions of the British territories coming through these colonies being excluded from the United States, as articles not of the produce and manufacture of the United States are excluded from Great Britain, and would be excluded from the British colonies.

As respects the shipping employed in this trade, it must be placed on a footing of practical and reciprocal equality, both as respects duties and charges, and the equal participation of the trade; on this adjustment, even, there will exist an advantage in favor of the English navigation; as it will be exclusively employed in the transportation of articles of the produce and manufacture of the United States, between the intermediate colonies aforesaid and the West Indian colonies, and likewise in a disproportioned degree, in the distribution of these articles among the British West India colonies.

Furthermore, as the voyage from the United States to New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Bermuda, is a short one, and would yield but little profit, the duties and charges must be as great on the British ships, and the articles of the produce and manufacture of the United States composing their cargoes, arriving in the British West India colonies, through these intermediate colonies, as on the same ships and articles arriving directly from the United States; otherwise the direct trade will be deserted in favor of the circuitous trade, and thereby the object of the arrangement, an equality in the employment of the shipping of the two countries, will be defeated. So far as the operation of the late navigation law is understood, it seems to have been advantageous, and especially in the increase of the American shipping engaged in the direct trade between the United States and Great Britain, and the corresponding decrease of that of Great Britain—but sufficient time has not yet been afforded satisfactorily to ascertain this point, nor to determine other questions that are in a course of solution.

Perhaps it would be prudent to allow time for this important experiment: and, to suffer the negotiation on this subject to remain where it is for the present, it ought not to be forgotten, that without cutting off the trade with New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Bermuda, this experiment cannot be fairly made. Whether it would be expedient at the present session to adopt this measure, is perhaps doubtful.

If the effect of our navigation law, reinforced according to the above suggestion, should prove to be such as it not improbably will be, it might, and probably would be our true footing to adhere to the law, and decline any convention with Great Britain, touching the colony trade.

On motion by Mr. Macon,

Ordered, That it be printed for the use of the Senate, under an injunction of secrecy.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1819.

The following written message was received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Brent:

I transmit to the Senate, a treaty of amity, settlement, and limits, between the United States of America and His Catholic Majesty, concluded and signed this day, for the decision of the Senate, as to its ratification. Copies of the correspondence between the Secretary of State and the Minister from Spain, connected with this subject, since the renewal of the negotiation, are likewise enclosed.

JAMES MONROE.

February 22d, 1819.

The message, treaty, and documents, were read.

On motion by Mr. Macon,

The treaty was read the second time, by unanimous consent, and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon.

On his motion,

Ordered, That the message, treaty, and documents, be printed for the use of the Senate, under an injunction of secrecy.

The following written message was also received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Brent:

WASHINGTON, *February 20th, 1819.*

I nominate John G. Jackson, of Virginia, to the Senate, as Judge of the District Court of the United States, for the District West of the Allegany Mountains, in the State of Virginia.

JAMES MONROE.

The message was read.

Ordered, That it lie for consideration.

The Senate resumed the nomination of William Johnson, to be Collector; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1819.

The Senate took into consideration the message of the 22d instant, nominating John G. Jackson to office; and

Resolved, That they do advise and consent to the appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

Mr. Macon, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom was referred the treaty of amity, settlement, and limits, with his Catholic Majesty, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the said treaty pass to a third reading.

Mr. Macon submitted the following motion, which was considered and agreed to:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of amity, settlement, and limits, made and concluded at Washington, on the twenty-second day of February, 1819, between the United States of America and his Catholic Majesty.

On motion,

The said treaty was read the third time by unanimous consent.

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this treaty?"

It was unanimously determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 34.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Burrill, Crittenden, Daggett, Dana, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Eppes, Fromentin, Gaillard, Goldsborough, Horsey, Johnson, King, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Morrow, Noble, Otis, Roberts, Sanford, Stokes, Tait, Talbot, Taylor, Thomas, Tichenor, Van Dyke, Williams, of Mississippi, Williams, of Tennessee, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty of amity, settlement, and limits, made and concluded at Washington, on the twenty-second day of February, 1819, between the United States of America and his Catholic Majesty.

Ordered, That the Secretary lay this resolution before the President of the United States.

On motion,

Resolved, That the injunction of secrecy concerning the communication made by the President of the United States, on the 22d instant, be rescinded; but that it be nevertheless enjoined upon the Senators, not to authorize or allow any copy of the said communication, or of any article thereof.

On motion by Mr. Eaton,

Resolved, That the Committee on the Judiciary be instructed to prepare and report a bill, providing for the temporary government of the Territory of the Floridas, so soon as the same shall belong to the United States, in virtue of the treaty made between the said United States and Spain, on the 22d day of February, instant, and evidence of its ratification by Spain shall have been officially communicated to the President of the United States.

The Senate proceeded to consider the report of the Committee of Foreign Relations, made the 19th instant, on the Colonial trade; and,

On motion by Mr. King,

The Senate being at this time unable to consider and decide upon the report of the Committee of Foreign Relations,

Resolved, That the same be referred to the Secretary for the Department of State.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1819.

The Senate proceeded to consider the motion, submitted the 24th instant, instructing the Committee on the Judiciary "to report a bill providing for the temporary government of the Floridas;" and agreed thereto.

TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 1819.

The six following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Gouverneur:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John W. Walker, of the Alabama Territory, to be a Judge of the said Territory, in the room of Obadiah Jones, resigned.

JAMES MONROE.

March 1st, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate William Rodes, of Kentucky, to be Collector of the Internal Revenue, for the seventh district of the said State, in the room of Robert Rodes, deceased.

JAMES MONROE.

February 27th, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate to the Senate the following persons as Justices of the Peace for the County of Washington, in the District of Columbia, viz:

James Young, John Chalmers, Richard Bland Lee, William Hewitt, and Andrew Way, all of the City of Washington, in the said county.

JAMES MONROE.

February 26th, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Jacob Beeson, of Virginia, to be Attorney for the Judicial district recently established in that State.

JAMES MONROE.

March 1st, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Thomas Anderson, of Pennsylvania, as Consul of the United States at Tripoli, and withdraw the nomination, made this day, of "Thomas Anderson, of Tennessee," for that Consulate.

JAMES MONROE.

March 2d, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Thomas W. Bond, to be Collector and Inspector of the Revenue for the district of Havre de Grace, Maryland, in the room of Howes Goldsborough, resigned.

John B. Jones, to be Surveyor and Inspector for the port of Currituck Inlet, in the room of Malachi Jones, resigned.

H. Leavenworth, to be Collector and Inspector of the Revenue for the district of Sackett's Harbor, in the room of Purley Keys.

Samuel Quinby, to be Receiver of Public Money at Wooster, in the State of Ohio.

Thomas Hance, to be Surveyor and Inspector of the District of New Brunswick, State of New Jersey.

Edward Scott Jarvis, to be Collector and Inspector for Frenchman's Bay, Massachusetts, in the room of Melachiah Jordan, deceased.

James Manney, to be Collector and Inspector of the Revenue for the district of Beaufort, North Carolina, in the room of Bridges Arrundell.

JAMES MONROE.

March 2d, 1819.

The messages were severally read, and considered by unanimous consent.

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

The following written message was also received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Gouverneur:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John James Appleton, of Massachusetts, to be Secretary of Legation at Rio de Janeiro.

Abraham P. Gibson, of New York, to be Consul at St. Petersburg.

Francis Adams, of the District of Columbia, to be Consul at Trieste.

Cortland Parker, of New Jersey, to be Consul at Curacao.

Harvey Strong, of New York, to be Consul at Glasgow and Greenock.

Thomas Anderson, of Tennessee, to be Consul at Tripoli.

Townsend Stith, of Virginia, to be Consul at Tunis.

John A. Belfour, to be Consul at Copenhagen, in the room of John M. Forbes, resigned.

JAMES MONROE.

March 1st, 1819.

The message was read, and, by unanimous consent, considered.

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments of John James Appleton, Cortland Parker, and Townsend Stith, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the other nominations be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, to consider and report thereon.

The three following written messages were also received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Gouverneur:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate the persons whose names are stated in the list accompanying the enclosed letter from the Secretary of War, for the promotions and appointments respectively proposed.

JAMES MONROE.

March 2d, 1819.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *March 1st, 1819.*

SIR: I have the honor to lay before you a list of promotions and appointments for the Army of the United States.

With perfect respect,

J. C. CALHOUN.

To the PRESIDENT of the United States.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES.

First Infantry.

1st Lieutenant Robert L. Coomb, to be Captain, 7th January, 1819, vice Amelung, resigned.

2d Lieutenant William Seaton, to be 1st Lieutenant, 1st January, 1819, vice Smith, resigned.

2d Lieutenant William S. Harney, to be 1st Lieutenant, 7th January, 1819, vice Coomb, promoted.

Fourth Infantry.

1st Lieutenant Joseph Shomo, to be Captain, 1st March, 1819, vice McIntosh, promoted.

2d Lieutenant John Hull, to be 1st Lieutenant, 1st March, 1819, vice Shomo, promoted.

Seventh Infantry.

2d Lieutenant George Murdock, to be 1st Lieutenant, 31st January, 1819, vice McDonald, resigned.

Eighth Infantry.

Brevet Lieutenant Colonel George M. Brooke, Major, to be Lieutenant Colonel, 1st March, 1819, vice Trimble, resigned.

Captain John N. McIntosh, of the 4th Infantry, to be Major, 1st March, 1819, vice Brooke, promoted.

1st Lieutenant Nathaniel Young, to be Captain, 1st January, 1819, vice Wright, resigned.

2d Lieutenant George W. Allen, to be 1st Lieutenant, 1st January, 1819, vice Young, promoted.

APPOINTMENTS.

R. M. Harrison, Lieutenant 2d Infantry, to be Assistant Deputy Quartermaster General.

Abraham C. Fowler, late Lieutenant Artillery, to be 2d Lieutenant Corps of Artillery.

Joseph Hopkins, late Lieutenant 2d Infantry, to be 2d Lieutenant Corps of Artillery.

David Van Ness, of New York, to be 2d Lieutenant Corps of Artillery.

Joel Spences, of South Carolina, to be 2d Lieutenant Corps of Artillery.

John R. Morgan, Quartermaster Sergeant, Artillery, to be 2d Lieutenant Corps of Artillery.

Bradford Bradley, of Louisiana, to be 2d Lieutenant 1st Infantry.

Alfred Mitchell, of Delaware, to be 2d Lieutenant 1st Infantry.

Edwin V. Sumner, of New York, to be 2d Lieutenant 2d Infantry.

Peter T. January, of Kentucky, to be 2d Lieutenant 3d Infantry.

Robert B. C. Tate, of Maryland, to be 2d Lieutenant 4th Infantry.

Solomon Chambliss, late Lieutenant Rifle regiment, to be 2d Lieutenant 7th Infantry.

William B. Everitt, of Maryland, to be 2d Lieutenant 8th Infantry.

Orromel Johnson, of Kentucky, to be Surgeon's Mate Rifle regiment.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Anthony Gale, Captain, to be Lieutenant Colonel Commandant of Marines.

Francis B. De Bellevue, and } First Lieut'nts, to be Captains of Marines.

Lyman Kellogg,

Elijah J. Weed,

Charles K. Porter, and }

Joseph C. Hall,

Second Lieutenants, to be First Lieutenants of Marines.

Charles C. Floyd, of Georgia,

John McClure, of Indiana,

Charles C. Tupper, of N. York,

Charles Grymes, of Virginia,

George D. Brewerton of N. York, and

Ward Marston, of Massachusetts,

To be Second Lieutenants of Marines.

JAMES MONROE.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate John P. Henry, of Georgia, to be Navy Agent at Savannah.

Edward N. Cox, of New York, to be Purser in the Navy.

Joseph Kenz, of Louisiana,
 Robert T. Falconer, of North Carolina,
 Samuel C. Smith, of Kentucky,
 Alexander Williams, of Tennessee,
 David N. Mahon, of Pennsylvania,
 Joseph B. Stillman, of New York,
 George Balfour, Jun., of Virginia, and
 Thomas J. Nelson, of New York,

To be Surgeon's Mates in the
 Navy.

JAMES MONROE.

The messages were severally read.

• On motion,

Ordered, That the message nominating to Military promotions and appointments, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

On motion,

Ordered, That the messages nominating to appointments in the Navy, and in the Marine Corps, be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs, to consider and report thereon.

The following written message was also received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Gouverneur:

To the Senate of the United States:

A convention having been concluded between John C. Calhoun, Secretary of War, especially authorized therefor by me, and the chiefs and headmen of the Cherokee nation of Indians, likewise duly authorized and empowered by said nation, I now lay the original instrument before the Senate, for the exercise of its constitutional power respecting the ratification thereof.

JAMES MONROE.

March 2d, 1819.

The message, and the convention therein referred to, were read.

On motion,

Ordered, That the convention be referred to the Committee, appointed the 20th of November last, on so much of the message of the President, at the commencement of the session, as relates to the Indian tribes, to consider and report thereon.

The following written message was also received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Gouverneur:

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States:

The treaty of amity, settlement, and limits, between the United States and His Catholic Majesty, having been, on the part of the United States, ratified by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, copies of it are now transmitted to Congress. As the ratification on the part of Spain may be expected to take place during the recess of Congress, I recommend to their consideration, the adoption of such legislative measures, contingent upon the event of the exchange of the ratifications, as may be necessary or expedient for carrying the treaty into effect, in the interval between the sessions, and until Congress, at their next session, may see fit to make further provision on the subject.

JAMES MONROE.

February 26th, 1819.

The message and treaty were read.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 1819.

Mr. Williams, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the message of yesterday, nominating to military promotions and appointments, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the promotions and appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Mr. Tait, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the messages of yesterday, nominating to appointments in the Navy and in the Marine Corps, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of John P. Henry, to be Navy Agent, and of Anthony Gale, and others, to be officers in the Marine Corps, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

Ordered, That the nominations of Edward N. Cox, to be Purser, and of Joseph Kenz, and others, to be Surgeon's Mates, be postponed until tomorrow.

Mr. Williams, of Tennessee, from the Committee to whom was yesterday referred the convention with the Cherokee Indians, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the said convention pass to a third reading.

Mr. Williams, of Tennessee, submitted the following motion, which was read and agreed to:

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the convention, made and concluded on the 22d day of February, 1819, between the United States, and the chiefs and headmen of the Cherokee nation of Indians.

The said convention was read the third time, by unanimous consent; and,

On the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of this convention?"

It was determined in the affirmative: Yeas, 30.

Those who voted, are—Messrs. Barbour, Burrill, Crittenden, Daggett, Dana, Dickerson, Eaton, Edwards, Eppes, Fromentin, Gaillard, Goldsborough, Horsey, Johnson, Lacock, Leake, Macon, Mellen, Morrow, Noble, Roberts, Ruggles, Sanford, Stokes, Storer, Tait, Taylor, Van Dyke, Williams, of Tennessee, and Wilson.

So it was

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the convention, made and concluded on the 22d day of February, 1819, between the United States and the chiefs and headmen of the Cherokee nation of Indians

Ordered, That the Secretary lay this resolution before the President of the United States.

Mr. Macon, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, to whom were referred the nominations of Abraham P. Gibson, Francis Adams, Harvey Strong, and John B. Belfour, reported. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointment of Gibson, Adams, and Belfour, agreeably to the nominations respectively; and that they do not advise and consent to the appointment of Harvey Strong.

The three following written messages were received from the President of the United States, by Mr. Monroe, his Secretary:

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate General James Miller, to be Governor of the Territory of Arkansas.

Robert Crittenden, of Kentucky, to be Secretary of the said Territory. Andrew Scott, of Missouri, Robert P. Letcher, of Kentucky, and Charles Jouett, of Michigan, to be Judges of the said Territory.

JAMES MONROE.

March 3d, 1819.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Benjamin O'Fallon, of the Missouri Territory, as Indian Agent on the Missouri, as proposed in the annexed letter from the Secretary at War.

JAMES MONROE.

March 3d, 1819.

DEPARTMENT OF WAR, *March 3d, 1819.*

SIR: I have the honor to submit, for your approbation, the appointment of Benjamin O'Fallon, Esq., of the Missouri Territory, as Indian Agent on the Missouri.

I have the honor to be,

Your most obedient servant,

J. C. CALHOUN.

The PRESIDENT of the United States.

To the Senate of the United States:

I nominate Nathaniel Pope, as Judge, Jephtha Hardin, as Attorney, and Robert Lemmon, as Marshal of the United States, for the District of Illinois

JAMES MONROE.

March 3d, 1819.

The messages were severally read, and considered by unanimous consent. Whereupon,

Resolved, That the Senate do advise and consent to the appointments, agreeably to the nominations respectively.

END OF THE FORTY-FIRST SESSION.